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LOS ANGELES COUNTY 2012-13 BUDGET: PRESERVES PUBLIC SERVICES AND PROTECTS JOBS

WHAT: After four consecutive years of budget cuts and fiscal challenges, Los Angeles County will unveil a 2012-13 budget proposal, totaling \$23.781 billion, which includes no dramatic impacts or cuts in public services. Additionally, as one of the largest employers in Southern California, the County is again avoiding the need for furloughs or layoffs.

The budget recommendation addresses a current shortfall of \$75.8 million, a manageable deficit that is significantly smaller than recent annual deficits, and was resolved through a number of solutions. Additionally, for the first time in four years, this current budget proposal does not require cuts or curtailments by County departments.

WHEN: Chief Executive Officer William T Fujioka and County budget leaders will host a media briefing on the 2012-13 budget proposal for the media on Monday, April 16, at 11 a.m.

WHERE: Room 743 at the Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration, 500 W. Temple Street, Los Angeles, 90012.

Complete details of the budget outlook will also be available on Monday, April 16 on the County's homepage at <http://www.lacounty.gov>, or on Twitter [@lacountyceo](https://twitter.com/lacountyceo).

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